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"I don't need to compromise my principles because they have no bearing on what's going to happen to me anyway!"
-Calvin (yet again!!)

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by Janice Savage
Editor-in-Chief

I came in to the office Monday morning and discovered that Production had sacrificed my usual 500

words to the multitude of info in this last paper before Christmas. All right, then, we'll dispense with the usual editorial style and skip right to the chase.

Christmas is here, again and I'm sure that so far many of us have missed it entirely. (Exams. Need I say more.) There have been more people in the library this week than the whole year combined. But Christ-

mas is here at L.U., you just have to know where to look.

Congratulations to the organizers of this year's United Way Charity Blitz. A+ for some really creative events this year and one heck of a Bazaar last Sunday.

Also, don't forget that the SGA has their Angel Tree up in their office. Stop by and pick up the name of a needy child to but a Christmas

gift for this holiday season.

Full details on what's happening with Rae Days can be found on page 17. Classes don't officially start till January 5th now, make sure you know what's happening.

If you drink this season, please don't drive. All of us at Lambda wish you a happy and safe holiday season. We'll see you on January 12th!

SPACE FOR RANT Speaking Out

by Danaca
Contributor

What a great success! The meeting of A.G.L.L. held last Monday, November 21, with four new

L.U. Engineering Protests

The 1994-95 Engineering Council
Contributor

Dear Ms. Bishop,

We are writing this letter in protest of your ignorance towards L.U. Engineering. With reference to your comments in Maclean's Magazine, about Laurentian's joint partnerships with INCO and other businesses in our community, we feel we should inform you about our program.

"But how does Ross Paul, as L.U. President, convince INCO that their money is going to be just as well-spent in the philosophy department as opposed to chemical engineering? It doesn't wash."

True, it doesn't wash. It is difficult for Ross Paul to convince INCO to spend their dollars in the philosophy department, but he would have just as much trouble convincing them to spend money in Chemical Engineering. L.U. doesn't have Chemical Engineering! L.U. only grants undergraduate degrees in Mining Engi-

neering and Extractive Metallurgical Engineering, as well as Master's in Mineral Resource Engineering.

Please be informed about our university. The one that you represent, before you enter into discussions with another National Publication.

It is not a surprise that the S.G.A. is ignorant towards our existence. It is typical of the relationship we have had in past years with your student government. A government dominated by Artsies, representing their views, concerning themselves with their issues. A government that will not support Engineering Literature Society; an insignificant group, that does nothing to promote Laurentian's image within Sudbury.

We have had little or no cooperation from the SGA in the past two years. We do not, will not, and cannot support a government such as yours.

Please take this letter as notification that we are actively encouraging our students to transfer membership to the A.E.F. We will also be speaking with the other professional schools within Laurentian, encouraging them not to support the S.G.A.

Bishop responds to engineering students!

Heather Bishop
SGA President

Dear Engineering Students Society,

I am writing in response to your comments regarding the Maclean's article and my ignorance. First let me apologize for using the example of chemical engineering. I am fully aware of the programs offered by Laurentian. Unfortunately, the discussion at the forum became quite heated and I spoke quickly without thinking, trying to make a point. I believe that point was made, and I apologize that you were offended by it.

That being said, I feel the need to defend myself and the SGA, and point out that you are from perfect as well. Your one and a half page letter is filled with inaccuracies. A letter

which you had time to sit down and think about before you sent it, as opposed to the Maclean's forum, where the students involved had little advance knowledge of the topics for discussion, and were on the spot to comment.

To begin with, you copy the letter to the AEF. That in itself is fine, but you sent it to the attention of M. Larivière. March had not been involved with AEF executive for at least 4 months. Way to be informed about our University, and the student association you would like to represent you. This shows that your society knows as little about the AEF, as it does about the SGA. I think it is unfortunate that the Engineering Students Society feels that they have had poor relations with the SGA in the past few years. Perhaps if you took advantage of the voting seat the Engineers have on the SGA boards, rather than leaving it empty for the past two

my batteries! I, for once didn't feel so alone in participating in the association. I made contact with new people and most of all, I really enjoyed the discussion. It's nice to talk to someone about the same things I feel and believe. No, No, I'm not talking about sex or related issues, but issues like the experience of coming out to the meeting, the meeting of new people from Laurentian, most of all I enjoyed meeting these people outside the bar scene.

Many topics came from the group! The group decided that Monday's at 5pm is the best day and time to meet, but where not closed at looking at another day and time. But for right now the meetings would be Monday's at 5pm. The meeting was held in room L227 which is located next to the Off-Campus Housing Office or behind the elevators on the second floor of the R.D. Parker building. Another topic was should we advertise the meeting only in the Lambda or should someone contact individuals to advise them of up and coming meetings by phone or mail? The group thought that the meetings should still be announced in the Lambda and those members that don't feel comfortable could write to A.G.L.L. and tell us how they want to be notified! I also informed the group that A.G.L.L. is working on trying to find funds to have a permanent phone line. This way people could call and a message would inform them of activities, meetings, and discussion group meeting!

One final topic was directed

to those who didn't come to the meeting. The members of the group and myself would really like some feedback from those of you who didn't come to the meeting last Monday? Please write to us and tell us about the reasons why you didn't come to the meeting? Was it the time, the day, you didn't know where, you didn't feel safe.... What was it, please let us know!!!

I encourage all members of the gay and lesbian community to write some article in Lambda. You could send them to me and I'll keep your name out of it. Write me an article with a pen name if you like! It's getting hard to come up with different topics to write about, but most of all, I know you have something to tell me about your feeling and experience as a gay or lesbian student at Laurentian. Tell me about, and tell all those other gays and lesbians of need of encouragement about your feelings and experiences.

The next meeting will be held on Monday, December 5th at 5pm in room L227 second floor of the R.D. Parker building next to the Off-Campus Housing Office. All members and new members are encouraged to participate at the meeting. Come out and talk!

If you want to identify yourself to A.G.L.L., have a comment or two for us, or would like more information on a topic or about the group you can write in confidence to: **Association of Gays and Lesbians of Laurentian (A.G.L.L.), Box 17, Student Centre, Laurentian University, Sudbury, Ontario, P3E 2C6.**

we are enrolled in, I would suggest running an Engineering of Science student in the spring elections.

Finally, I would like to address the issue of other pro schools and their support for the SGA. It would appear that most other pro schools at Laurentian have recognized the importance of working together to accomplish things. SPAD, Nursing, Commerce, and Phys. Ed., all send reps to the SGA board meetings on a regular basis and are active participants in SGA events and services.

In conclusion, I wish you luck in your endeavors with the AEF. However, should you not find satisfaction there, the SGA is always ready to listen and attempt to help those groups which would like to get involved with the student body as a whole. Please feel free to contact me any time should you wish to discuss this further.

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Racism: Hate Groups On the Rise, Toronto Police Say

by Brenda Goldstein

Source: The Varsity, University of Toronto

Toronto (CUP) - There are nearly 200 hate groups operating in the Toronto area with up to 1500 active members, Toronto police members told a conference on hate groups this week.

The organizational structure of hate groups has changed, becoming decentralized, regional and difficult to track, said detective sergeant Wayne Cotgreave of the intelligence unit. "[The groups] don't have prominent leaderships. Now they have smaller cell-like off-shoots. It makes it difficult for anyone trying to determine what their actions are," he said.

Cotgreave's findings were

announced as part of a day-long conference on the rise of international right-wing extremism in Toronto. The conference was organized by B'Nai Brith to announce the findings of its ongoing research project on the rise of racism in Europe and North America.

White supremacist groups have made an unprecedented effort to recruit young people by infiltrating high schools, Cotgreave said. They also have moved into the realm of hate music and comic books in an attempt to recruit young people. Cotgreave said it is almost impossible to do anything about the distribution of racist music and literature.

"Unfortunately there is very little we can do. If they cross the boundary of hate propaganda they face prosecution, but they're usually quite careful," he said.

"It is the attitudes being de-

veloped that concern us, because they might lead to actions down the road."

Toronto police are hoping to set up partnerships with other organizations and government so they can deal with hate proactively, Cotgreave said. If the police don't join forces

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Hate Groups

with civilian anti-racist groups, they will waste too much energy being reactive, with hate groups on the leading edge.

Aryan pride and extremism is on the rise in many nativist and right-wing groups in North America, said

Steven Scheinberg, a history professor at Concordia University.

"Anti-Semitism, nativism, racism, and homophobia have mainstreamed and found elements in the Republican Party and the religious right," said Scheinberg.

He pointed to the recent swing towards the right in the U.S. mid-term elections.

"What we see is a rise of neo-isolationism and nationalism, the rise of the Christian right, an element within it that has a relationship with the extreme right."

Scheinberg said this could have repercussions in Canada because it is easy for hate groups to trade information and expertise across borders.

"Most connections, excluding [Holocaust denier Ernst] Zundel, are not from Germany to Canada," he said. "Most are from the U.S. to

Canada. There are better connections, better communication. It's easy to get in the car and drive down to Hayden Lake, where the [right-wing extremist group] Aryan Nations has its headquarters."

A related threat is that of radical anti-abortion and anti-gay movements moving north to Canada, he said.

There is also a connection between many radical anti-abortion groups and international neo-fascist groups in the U.S. and Europe, he added.

One such group, Human Life International, is planning to move north, according to Scheinberg.

"Human Life International plans to have a conclave in Montreal. They talk of Jewish abortionists and Jewish feminists [participating in] a holocaust against the unborn."

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Renovations At Laurentian And Cambrian Create 47 Jobs

Source: Jobs Ontario

SUDBURY - Four projects totaling \$2,689,200 at Laurentian University and Cambrian College, approved under the Canada/Ontario Infrastructure Works program, will create an esti-

This project, which will create an estimated 1,664 person-weeks of employment, is scheduled for completion in the fall of 1995.

"By improving the infrastruc-

ture is extremely timely in terms of our ability to provide badly needed renovations for teaching, research, and sports," said Mr. Paul.

"Inclusion of all students in mainstream college programs, a holistic approach to education and training, universal barrier-free access to facilities and assistive learning technologies are among Cambrian's major priorities," said Mr. Crombie. "Through a planned expansion of our Special Needs Regional Resource



mated 47 person-years of employment, Health Minister and Sudbury MP Diane Marleau, Sudbury MPP Sharon Murdock, Laurentian University President Ross Paul and Cambrian College President Glenn Crombie, announced today.

L Laurentian University will receive \$1,515,000 for various upgrades, including: replacing the gymnasium floor in the Physical Education Centre; upgrading floors and elevator in the R.D. Parker Tower, and repairing ventilation systems in two laboratories.

These projects, which will create an estimated 215 person-weeks of employment, are scheduled to start shortly and should be completed by December 1995.

Cambrian College will use \$1,174,200 to expand the Special Needs Regional Resource Centre and other facility access enhancements. The centre will

provide a multi-service student complex with specialized education and training resources and state-of-the-art learning technologies. This project has a total of \$3,566,093 and the college will provide the balance.

"I am very pleased that Laurentian University and Cambrian College are receiving funding under the Canada/Ontario Infrastructure Works program for these much-needed renovations," said Mrs. Murdock. "In addition, these projects will create local employment and stimulate economic renewal. This is great news for Sudbury!"

"Space is at tremendous premium here at Laurentian. This fund-

Centre and through facility access enhancements, we are confident that we can achieve this. I compliment and thank Sudbury MP Diane Marleau and Sudbury MPP Sharon Murdock and their respective governments for their support and commitment to Ontarians."

Canada/Ontario Infrastructure Works is a \$2.1 billion shared-cost program designed to create jobs through local priority projects which will improve the province's infrastructure and therefore its competitive position. Canada, Ontario and local partners are each contributing one-third of the project funding.

The program, which is expected to create up to 37,000 direct and indirect jobs, is a positive example of the federal, provincial and local levels of government working co-operatively to foster economic development and growth.

LOOK UP SGA events calender



Angel tree
Come by the SGA office anytime this week and pick up a name to sponsor a child.

Book fair in the Bowling Alley
X-mas is just around the corner
don't forget your loved ones.

Nov. 28-
Dec. 1



New Year's bash at the pub.
Please come by the SGA office for more information and tickets sale prior to dec. 16.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENT

GROCERY BUS

Every Saturday, starting at noon buses will be shuttling people between the SSR bus stop and LOEB's at four corners. Cost is a loonie

USE IT OR LOOSE IT!!!

LOONIE SATURDAYS

AT THE PUB

Come to the pub and see what you can get for a buck!
No cover charge, cheap booze and a great time!

V.I.P. PASS PROMOTION

AT THE PUB

This is your chance to win a V.I.P. pass for the pub.
Yes this means no more line-ups and no more hassles



CHIEF RETURNING OFFICER REQUIRED

Nominations for the position of
CHIEF RETURNING OFFICER (CRO)

for the upcoming SGA general elections. Nominations will be accepted at the SGA office from Dec. 1, 1994 to Jan. 11, 1995 at 4:00 pm

for more information contact
the SGA office at 673-6547

Diary of A Mad Student

by Chris Babin
contributor

Silence is consent. On Nov. 16th, schools all across Canada organized gatherings in protest of Our government's proposals concerning Our education. Thousands of people marched on Our nation's capital to voice their opinions. These people

who gathered in their schools and in Our nation's capital are no different from those of us attending school at L.U, except for the fact that instead of choosing to speak out, the majority chose to eat their lunches and laugh at the few of us who chose to march. I've got a news flash for some of you out there: In a few years some of us won't be able to afford to laugh. At Laurentian, too, people gathered to voice their opinions. I was one of them. Humour me, please and read

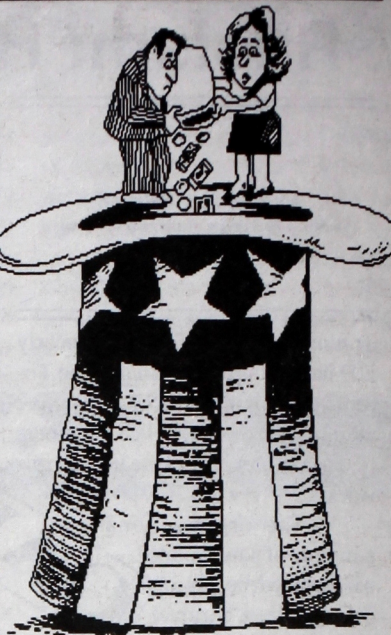
on so I can tell you why.

Earlier on that week, concerned about the potential increases in Our tuition fees, I skipped class so that I could attend the lecture being given by Floyd Laughren. This was a man, I felt, who would be able to answer at least some of the questions on my mind. I became somewhat pessimistic when Mr. Laughren basically told us, the students, to stop our collective whining because people have it tough all over. I told Mr. Laughren

that it seemed very unfair to me (and to a lot of other students) that even though many of my choices for potential courses were being cut, I was being told that I must pay a great deal more money. More for less. Mr. Laughren then spent the next five minutes skillfully avoiding giving me any semblance of a concrete answer. This frustrated me greatly and brings Us up to the day of the protests.

At the height of our efforts there were approximately thirty people standing together in protest. I cannot say I was disillusioned by this experience. I did not expect all the students of L.U to rise up, but I did expect, perhaps a few more participants. I was disappointed. It's not so much that I was expecting that if all of us gathered together and chanted silly slogans that the government would suddenly reverse its decisions and all would be well with the world. Quite the opposite. I do however think that people getting together does send a very strong message. Writing letters and making calls send messages as well about these are low profile and the media doesn't become involved unless such things become national campaigns. By gathering together with other students of like-minded opinions, we open channels of communication and form bands of solidarity. I don't care that while I was standing on top of a table in the cafeteria shouting that I looked like a jackass. I stood up there for something that I believe in and if that means I looked like an idiot then at least, I believe, that my priorities are in sound order.

I do not believe that because the government tells us that something is necessary we should accept it. We have been told that these cuts in funding are necessary and that we should accept them because, in the end, it will be better for all of us. If rejecting these cuts makes me a selfish person, then I can accept that criticism. CBC Radio was there to cover Our event and Our school president Dr. Ross Paul was there to lend his support as well. What I cannot accept are these funding cuts, the rhetoric that has not justified these cuts and the almost overwhelming apathy that



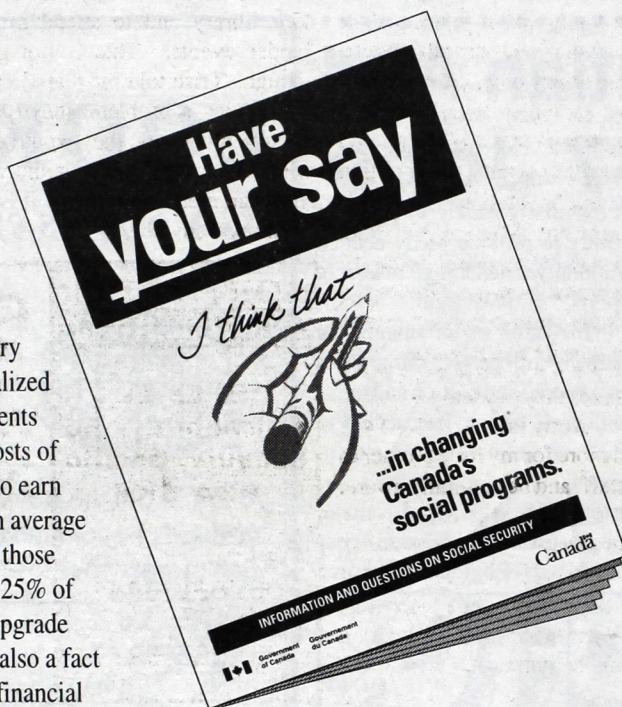
has smothered the voices of my fellow students. If you don't agree with something, in order to let people know, you have to express it and you must make sure that you are heard. Barber and Watson, two prominent North American writers have quoted Montesquieu as writing "that where you find an orderly silence, there you will find tyranny." I don't think that this is an unrealistic statement and I find it being echoed more and more in this country as more and more time passes. Ask yourself this: Who wanted the GST? Who wanted the loonie? Who wanted Free Trade? Polls were taken. It wasn't the majority. Being silent on the grounds that "no one listens anyway" is in my mind the most ignorant statement I've yet to hear. It takes just a few people and a willingness to stand up for an idea to get something important started. It's not inconceivable that if enough noise is made about something, that that thing might be changed. I know, I know, listen to the naive arts student dreamer. It's sort of pathetic, right? Well, as far as I know, this country was founded on democracy and it is my right to speak out loudly, wherever and whenever I want to. It's your right as well. Exercise your rights; don't be afraid.

P.S. Mr. Axworthy will be coming to campus later this month. Come out and tell him you don't like his ideas.

THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA is looking at changing Canada's social programs including federal support to post-secondary education.

FACTS

Canada spends more of its Gross National Product on post-secondary education than any other industrialized country. Canadian university students now pay only about 20% of the costs of their education. They can expect to earn 40% more over their lifetime — an average of \$11,700 more per year — than those with no university diploma. Over 25% of people in the workforce want to upgrade their skills but can't afford it. It's also a fact that all governments are facing a financial squeeze and have to review their programs.



THE CHALLENGE

WE NEED TO MAINTAIN A FAIR, ACCESSIBLE AND AFFORDABLE POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION SYSTEM. HERE'S ONE OF THE OPTIONS ON THE TABLE:

An expanded student aid program that would put more money in a new system of student loans and grants. **Repayment of loans would be based on income after graduation.**

Right now, the federal government's spending includes both student aid and transfers to provinces in the form of cash and tax points. The tax transfers will continue — and grow by an estimated \$2 billion over the next decade. That money will replace the cash portion which will run out over the next 10 years.

One idea: the federal government could replace the cash transfer with a new permanent \$2 billion loans and grants system. This option could put about \$10 billion more into the post-secondary system over a ten-year period and improve access to post-secondary education.

Nothing is etched in stone. If you have comments on these ideas — or other ideas — we want to hear from you. Get your free copy of the Discussion Paper, the Summary or the booklet "Have your say". Fill in the pull-out question-and-answer section of the booklet and return it to us. To order or for more information:

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Punch Drunk

Séan Clark
Staff Writer

This is actually the third "editorial" I've written for Lambda, and strangely enough, there has been a common thread. Through each, I have attempted to clarify a distinction between what is classed as "anti-women" and that which is actually "anti-people". The Nov. 17 edition of Lambda printed a report of how Concordia's Women's Centre has launched a petition against the Supreme Court of Canada based on the "Intoxication Defense". For anyone who has had their head stuck in the sand for the past two months, this is the defense which has already provided four would be convicts with a get out of jail free card. While I would like to commend the Concordia Women's centre on their initiative in protesting what nearly every sane Canadian believes to be a travesty of justice, I feel that the accusations which accompanied their protest require careful reconsideration.

This new precedent has opened

ned the door for extreme intoxication to be used as a defense against assault, sexual or otherwise, regardless of the gender of the accused or the victim. The Women's centre suggests that this reflects "the role misogyny and alcohol play" in the lives of those in our society. Before I go any further, I would like to clarify what is implied by "misogyny", a term that has come to be used with the frequency of the phrase "racist" at Nuremberg. According to Webster's, it is the "hating of women". We cannot accuse our courts of hating women, simply because a court ruling allowed a man to get off after he assaulted a woman. This is more than a stretch of the imagination. It is simply outrageous.

This new defense has opened a door for a great deal more than legalizing rape. It softens penalties for murderers, since they can now only be charged with manslaughter if they can prove "extreme intoxication". It allows bar brawls to result in permanent injury, or worse, with little more than a slap on the wrist to the defendant who can prove that he or she was not capable of forming a criminal intent.

What about the men?

by Derek Deluca
Contributor

I have a confession to make. I have a nasty habit of always putting down the Women's Centre. It's not very fair of me to make comments about a group I know little about; so I decided to interview Trish Burk of the Centre. Let me tell you about my interview.

To begin, I want to tell you about Trish as I was totally taken aback by her. She was not a hairy-legged, bra-burning, misandrous, male-bashing feminazi. To the contrary, she was a lovely woman who seemed to be very well educated, well spoken, and she seemed to be very compassionate and warm person. Needless to say, she made an excellent first impression, and it was a pleasure to interview her. Thank-you for having taken the time to be interviewed, Trish.

She told me that the mandate of the Women's Centre is to provide a safe haven for "women in distress", i.e. a place for a troubled woman to talk about her problems in private. They strive to provide a positive and supportive atmosphere in the Centre. They will also refer women to proper authorities (Police, Sex Assault centre, counselors, etc.) and they do not provide counselling as they are not qualified to do so. They also have a resource library on STDs, AIDS, Har-

Equal Views

by Phileas Fogg
Contributor

Visiting home last weekend I got back to my hamlet that I came from a little early. I decided to go look in on my little brother who is going to public school, in grade 5 or something along those lines. Imagine my surprise when I was invited into class as the guest of the day. This was a great honour on my part as you can guess. Well I got to sit in with the fun they got to have, such as recess, games that they played, and I even got to speak about the wonderful town of Sudbury. Well the class was thrilled with my participation in the first two events, but fell asleep during my little lecture about our freezing iceberg town.

So I asked my parental units what my younger sibling actually learns in school. My father hung his head in shame and said not a hell of lot. So this week it's time to discuss the education system. I remember elementary school quiet fondly. I got to sit in rows of desks, learn times tables until my face turned blue, and recite grammar lessons until my lungs collapsed. There was no need for recess, as everyone was too exhausted to move, but we got it anyway. The point was, we actually learned something, even though it was in prison camp fashion.

But the people who go to school now seem to learn much less. Maybe I was just an ambitious youth, but the stuff my brother learns now is stuff I could do when I was four years younger than him. Or maybe it was damaging to my mental state to have all this knowledge pushed upon me at a young age. Or maybe it's just that the education system has decided to downstep it's learning approach. Well I was an ambitious youth, doing work out of class at that age, and

assessment, etc. which is available to both men and women. They also provide women with condoms, pads, etc. free of charge.

She also said that they are non-religious and non-political, except that they are anti-Reform Party. For those of you who know me, you will remember that I am a vocal supporter of the Reform Party. She seemed a little nervous when I told her of this, but I had to ask her why they hated the Reform Party. She said it was because they wanted to cut funding for special interest groups such as hers, they promote "Family Values" (whatever that is), and they want to cut the levels of immigration. That, she said, was "racist".

The Centre also receives some funding from both the SGA and the AEF. All of their other money comes from fundraising activities such as 50/50 draws. They also plan on hosting a pool tournament and a casino evening some time soon for both men and women.

I must say that I was really impressed with what I had learned about the Women's Centre. You should not criticize something you know little about. Now that I do know a little about the Centre, allow me to do a little criticizing.

When I approached the centre about an interview, I was told that it would have to be done the Women's Centre, as I was forbidden from entering the Women's Centre. When I asked why, she said that if a "woman maybe I'm a little crazy from all that learning, but I think the education system is just not up to doing it's job.

And it's not as if it couldn't do the tasks it has been assigned, because it has in the past. But when it's more important that my brother go and see some beautiful works of art at the local gallery, (which by the way my parents took us both to see on a regular basis.) instead of learning basic writing and numerical skills it seems as though there is something wrong. Sure the kiddies should go and see art on occasion, because some parents aren't like mine. But when my parents have to fork out \$5 every 3 days for my brother to go someplace there is something fundamentally wrong. I mean, my parents aren't rich,

in distress" came by, my being inside the Centre would create an "uncomfortable environment" because I was a mean. This would not be the case, she said, if they had a partition of divider in the Centre. The "woman in distress" would then have a segre-



gated area in which to be counseled, and men could then be allowed to enter into the Centre. I agree with them on that point; if you raped, or abused, would you want to talk about it in the Pub or any other public place? I believe that they should have a partition, however; I wish to remind the Women's Centre that I pay tuition at this public institution, and I am a student like any other. I will walk into and stay in any public room if I have a reason to be there. Obviously, if there is a woman in the Centre who is visibly upset, I'm not going to hang and the taxes they pay leave us just above the poverty line. And they have to spend more for my little brother to do fun stuff, and be culturally aware. But the big thing is, if you don't go on these little trips, you're somewhat outcast by the rest of your class. Instead of taking these little journey's, I think that maybe the education system would be better off if they teachers actually damaged the kids little brains, and teach them how to read, write, and work with numbers. It would help the level of our society, because as some of you might have noticed going through high school, some people just can't write, read or do math very well at all. But that's next time's topic, so until then, read something.

around and eaves drop like some insensitive jerk. Barring the preceding scenario, don't you dare tell me I can't go in there because I am a man.

According to Trish, the Centre is "non-political", yet they hate the Reform Party. As I mentioned previously, she described their immigration policies as "racist". I don't know if she realizes this, but the Liberals have just announced an immigration policy which mirrors that of the Reform Party. Will they now become "anti-liberal" and scream racism? I doubt it. My advice to them is to stay out of politics and concentrate on providing their "services".

In their Background Rational hand-out, they recognize the Social Diversity of Laurentian University; but they make no significant mention of men. They do mention that they wish to provide forums for discussion which would appeal to mixed gender audiences, but men are not mentioned elsewhere besides in a small paragraph in their purple pamphlet which encourages men to use their library and to attend mixed-gender events. This is not good enough. Trish told me that if a man was having a problem, they would not turn him away; they would even refer him to the proper authorities. How can men know this if it is not mentioned anywhere?

Where does a "man in distress" go? I know, you argue that there are few "men in distress"; but that in not the point. There are some, and if I were one, I would not wish to discuss my problem in the Pub either. I would want access to that partitioned room for which the Women's Centre is lobbying. As I'm concerned, there is no difference between a "woman in distress" or a "man in distress"; both should receive as much support as necessary in the confines of a positive environment. The Women's Centre should not receive public funds until they acknowledge that they should and will provide services to all the students at this university regardless of gender.

To conclude, I must say that I was impressed by the scope of the Women's Centre's services. I believe that the Women's Centre should get a partitioned room as soon as possible. I also believe that they should recognize that men are sometimes in distress and that men also have a right to speak to someone about their problem in private. I can see that the Women's Centre does provide excellent library resources to both sexes and they do provide a much needed safe haven for women and, perhaps someday in the future, for all students in need.

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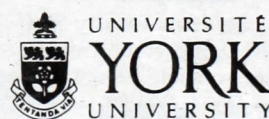
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PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS

EVENTS

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Laurentian Christian Fellowship is having an International Student's Christmas Dinner on Saturday, Dec. 17 at 6pm in the cafeteria of the Alphonse Raymond Building. This year's dinner is titled "Christmas Around the World". There is no charge for the meal. Students interested in attending are asked to put their names on the sign up sheet which will be available outside the Great Hall the week of Nov. 21 to 25 and Nov. 28 to Dec. 2. Come and share Christmas around the world with us!

ELS

Our next big event will take place Dec. 2 in room SCE209. The Christmas Pot Luck Dinner always has something to please even the pickiest party-goer. Each person brings a dish of their favorite holiday food or throws in money to chow. Trust us, this is ONE Buffet you will not want to forget about. Mark it on your calendar and GO! Want more info, call Steve - VP Writer's Circle, 674-3521, or Tony - ELS Secretary, 674-0245. Oh, and if you hate writing, Come anyway!!

The Biology society & CSA, HKA invites you for a Semi-formal Dinner and Dance at the Sheraton Caswell (1696 Regent St. S.) on Dec. 2nd 1994. (Cocktail at 6:30 and Dinner at 7:00) Tickets are on sale. Please see executive members of each association for more details.

Next showing of the LU Women's Centre's "Feminist Film Fest" will be on Dec. 6th 1994. "After the Montreal Massacre" will be shown from 12 pm to 1 pm in room SCE-239.

Afro-Caribbean Association

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WAIT! In addition to our Writer's Circle, the ELS hosts Poetry Nights throughout the year - normally in the TV Lounge - with complimentary squaffers and stomach stuffers!

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Women's Centre

The L.U. Women's Centre is still looking for new volunteers and collective members. If women's issues are important for you, volunteering at the Centre would probably be a great experience for us and you. Please drop by the Centre for more information, we are located in the Student Centre L233, or give us a call at 675-1151 ext. 1089. Hope to see you soon!

The L.U. Women's Centre will be closed from Dec. 15 to Jan. 9, 1995. We look forward to hearing from you in the new year. We have a few surprises in store - watch for our upcoming calendar of events. Our next 50/50 draw is on Dec. 9.... there's still time to purchase your ticket - drop in at the Women's Centre!

A self-defense course will be offered

for all Laurentian women, on Jan. 11, 1995 from 6-8 pm in room L-510. Cost per woman, max of 25. Sign up at the Women's Centre.

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Following an agreement with the Laurentian University Faculty Association (LUFA), classes will start on Thurs. January 5, 1995. The university will otherwise be open for business on Tue. January 3, 1995.

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Two exhibitions will continue until Dec. 18 at the Laurentian University Museum and Art Centre. "René Magritte: l'anniversaire" is a Surrealist exhibition. LUMAC will also present "The David Blackwood Survey Exhibition 1980 to 1990," an retrospective exhibition of prints by this renowned Canadian printmaker.

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Dec. 22 - Men's support group from 7:30 to 9:00 pm.

For more info, call Marco at 688-0500.

Starting Jan. 12/95, all announcements will be limited to 100 words, and all announcements received will be edited accordingly. This decision has been made because of the enormous amount of public service announcements that we receive from on and off campus clubs and associations. Sorry for the inconvenience. We hope this will help everybody have their events publicized in Lambda.

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Acoustic Jam Gem at Pub

by Kevin Forman
Staff Writer

On Friday November 25th, Laurentian students were treated to an acoustic guitar show by perennial Laurentian favourite, Mike Woods.

And Mike seems to be getting more popular every time he comes back. This was his eighteenth performance here, and it seems as though he gets better every time he returns to visit us.

This evening showed his guitar and vocal skills, as well as his humorous side to performing. The display was so good it's easy to see why the Laurentian environment keeps bringing him back to play for us.

His repertoire for the evening included such songs as: *Disarm* by the Smashing Pumpkins, *Cats in the Cradle* by Harry Chapin, *Asshole* by Dennis Leary, and a true Laurentian favourite, *Dead Puppies*. He showed his versatility as a musician by playing numerous different music styles, and also showcased his influences in his own music.

Mike has been touring as a solo artist for close to 10 years, and discovered his place in music soon after leaving a band. Touring the colleges and universities around the country, Mike built up a loyal following, allowing him to put out albums with original music. Having influences such as Harry Chapin, Cat Stevens, Neil Young, the Beatles and Led Zeppelin among others. He also plays all sorts of musical styles from Cat Stevens to the Smashing Pumpkins, and even gets requests to play Johnny Cash, which he honours and plays. Mike has toured with such bands as Blue Rodeo, Jeff Healy, The Good Brothers, Spirit of the West, and Frozenghost.

Judging by the great crowd reaction, I hope that Laurentian brings Mike Woods back very soon, as he pleases all who attends, and is just a great all around performer.

Following Mike was a local performer Danny Diaz, another one man band that got the crowd up dancing for most of his show. He covered the gamut of musical interests including contemporary tunes as well as fifties and everything in between.

The show was highlighted by such moments as an all pub sing along to "Everybody

Knows Your Name", (how appropriate) with Danny filling on the vocal brass section. (Danny's brass abilities also provided a great rendition of "Hawaii Five-O").

All in all, it was a show that rightfully broke the string of poor turn-out for live acts in the Pub. The crowd spent the whole night singing along and dancing to the best live show to be had yet this year. If you missed it Mike and Danny will both be back during Canry Week (tentatively Wednesday and Friday respectively.) So if you missed them once, don't make the same mistake twice.



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5. Ever fall down because you drank too much? (3)
6. Ever drink enough to throw up? (4)
7. Ever wake up and not remember what you did the night before? (5)
8. Ever been forcibly removed from a bar? (8)
9. Ever participate in/ finish a pub crawl? (5)
10. Do you drink regularly, at least 3 times a week? (3)
- Bonus: 1 point for each extra day— max 7 days
11. Ever fall asleep/ pass out in in a bar? (4)
12. Ever try pot? Hash? Magic mushrooms? (4 points per drug tried)
13. Do you do drugs regularly? (4)
- Bonus: more than 4 times per week? (4)
14. Ever bought soft drugs? (4)
15. Ever sell drugs? (12)
16. Ever sell drugs to support a drug habit? (12)
17. Ever use barbituates? (8)
18. Ever use hallucinogens? (8)
19. Ever use narcotics? (10)
20. Ever been stoned and/ or drunk for more than 48 hours? (8)
21. Ever been on a date? (2)
22. Ever been felt up? Groped? (2)
- Bonus: to orgasm? (2)
23. Ever read *Lambda*? (2)
24. Ever had sexual intercourse? (6)
25. Ever had a bath or shower with a member of the opposite sex? (5)
26. Ever paid for sex? (8)
27. Ever engage in oral sex? (4)
- Bonus: to orgasm? (2)
28. Ever engage in anal sex? (4)
- Bonus: to orgasm? (2)
29. Ever engage in the 69 position? (4)
30. Ever contracted an STD? (12)
31. Ever had sex without a contraceptive? (4)
32. Ever known or knowingly been responsible for an abortion? (12)
33. Ever had sex with more than one person at the same time? (9)
34. Ever had sex with two or more partners in one week? (4)
35. Ever had sex in a public place? (6)
36. Ever had carpet burns, in relation to a sexual act? (4)
37. Ever engage in a sexual act with a member of the same sex? (10)
38. Ever practices bondage or sadism for sexual gratification? (8)
39. Ever use sex toys? (6)
40. Ever pass out during sex? (5)
41. Ever fart during sex? (2)
42. Ever been responsible for tking someone's virginity? (4)
43. Ever masturbated while talking on the phone? (3)
44. Ever have sex with a relative? (10)
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Edge Dull on Satirist's Contextual Sword

by Mike Attenborough
The Gazette (CUP)

American satirist P.J. O'Rourke — though at his best when tearing through smug, self-righteous veneers and exposing the thick-wittedness of every organization from the United States government down to sandal-wearing left-wing activists — is willing to give credit where credit is due.

In fact, nothing makes him happier than finding something, anything, that works the way it's supposed to whether it's American foreign policy — which is rarely — or the screw cap on a bottle of whiskey — which isn't a problem that can't be solved with a firmly held hammer.

The sixth book from *Rolling Stone's* foreign affairs correspondent is fundamentally O'Rourke. His style of observational reportage tinged with dry, often acerbic commentary from the hotspots and headline-making locales of the world have been, in the past, jocularly clever and mercilessly accurate. Writing from a traditionally contextual stance, O'Rourke is usually able to put into perspective the dizzying absurdities of both foreign and domestic affairs. Through the use of analogy, metaphor and comparison — which are usually the root of O'Rourke's pointed humour — he is able to scrape away twaddling inconsistencies and frivolity to un-

earth the heart of the matter.

After his riotously funny conclusions on the nature of contemporary global conflict in *Give War a Chance* and the whimsically outrageous hack-and-slash surgery he performed on the national budget in *Parliament of Whores*, O'Rourke carved himself a niche among conscientious conservatives everywhere. Sure, he's waggish and brash but lurking beneath the barbs of his visceral commentary was a pretzel-shaped but nonetheless sound logic.

But with *All the Trouble in the World*, O'Rourke comes across like a bottle of champagne — and not that cheap Niagara region crap either — left uncorked for too long: it's essentially the same stuff but not quite as tangy or piquant. Quite simply, he's flat. For a guy who turned the Gulf War into a laff-riot and the government of the United States into a comedy of errors, he's just not that funny this time around. *All the Trouble...*, while nominally O'Rourke, is far too personal in that he frequently sidetracked by tangents relating to esoteric and dull accounts of personal experiences. It's normally hard to pull the wool over his eyes though it's apparently increasingly difficult for this pundent to keep removing all those scratchy sweaters.

How To Be Cool While Using The Urinal

by Mike Swerdlyk (CUP)

Here we are standing at the door, ready to enter. Get focused, visualize what you are about to do. Your image is what's at stake here and image is everything, right? Now, you can't just let it all hang out (what a pun!!) because, after all, you are a sophisticated young man. Follow these recommendations and you should never have to worry about urinal usage again.

When you first walk in get straight to business. Never smile, glance around, or make eye contact with another guy (especially if you are stupid enough to smile) because you could be mistaken for and/or accused of being a homosexual or a pervert. Of course, if you are a homosexual or a pervert, please ignore this first recommendation.

If you are the self-conscious type, here are a few pointers that should boost your confidence while urinating. First of all, use a urinal, not a toilet, because toilets make lots of splashing noises (how uncool). If you are right handed, take the stall closest to the left. At this stall your hand will shield your little buddy from those secret peepers, and it also ensures maximum arm space for a firm grip (we all know how important a firm grip is, but I'll get to that later). If you are left handed use the stall closest to the right, for the same reasons. If you're ambidextrous, hey, do what ya like. Another tip for the self-conscious types is to nonchalantly lean forward a bit to shield those family jewels from quick glancers. Make sure that you don't lean too far for-

ward because this would make you look very funny (we've all seen those amusing idiots who are pushed so far forward that they look like they're trying to mate with the stall) and very uncool.

Grip is a very important. Such a catastrophe it would be for you if you were to lose your grip, believe me I know. As we all know, it takes pressure to emit such a lovely stream and that pressure can cause your silent partner to go wild if you let him. If you were to slip and let him fly solo, just think of the unsightly wet spots you could end with, and where! So hold on tight.

Once you are educated in urinal etiquette you will find that the world will be much less of an intimidating place.

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4. Write a letter of complaint to the CEO of a company you've never patronized. Ask for free stuff.
5. Apply for another student loan. This time, use Roman numerals.
6. Pretend to be a secret agent for a day.
7. Tell a mock turtle-neck that the other shirts are making fun of it.
8. Pick your nose in public. Often.
9. Go to the bulk jam section at your local Safeway and make a jar of boysenberry/strawberry/blackberry/mushy pea jelly. Hide it under the frozen corn.
10. Smile inappropriately at people on the bus. Laugh and point at them. Make fun of their facial hair. No reason.
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5. You're paranoid words may condemn you.
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8. People who talk too much know nothing.
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14. Why is this chair sticky?
15. Sign language is erotic.

Big Sugar Sweet at Backstreet

by Kevin Forman
Staff Writer

Just this past Sunday, **Big Sugar**, along with the **Rayburns**, played at Backstreet. And it was one of the most amazing shows I have ever had the pleasure to see.

Starting off the evening were the **Rayburns**, who journeyed from Hamilton to play essentially for free. These guys put on a great performance, regardless of the snow that began to pile up just before they started. The miserable weather did nothing to dampen the band's spirits, and the crowd was enthusiastic to the show. With three different members sharing lead vocals, and one member in a kilt regardless of the temperatures, the band pulled off an excellent routine over their entire show.

Soon after the **Rayburns** the departed the stage, **Big Sugar** stepped on, led by guitar ace Gordie Johnson. And Gordie's guitar prowess was soon

tested, as the cold played havoc with his equipment, but he and the band struggled through the problems and pulled off one of the greatest performances witnessed by much of the crowd. The rest of the band was rock solid behind Gordie, and together they turned Backstreet into rubble with the sonic assault. Gary Lowe laid down some heavy bass tracks, and was a steady influence on the show. Kelly Hoppe wailed on the saxophone, and it was discovered that his harmonica playing is just unbelievable. Anchored by Stitch Winston on drums, the band rocked on late into the night, with Stitch leaving the skins to prove he could dance faster and better than all the audience members who were moving and shaking.

For those of you who haven't heard much about **Big Sugar**, their a Toronto-based band, with Gordie Johnson as the heart and soul of the band. Although the band has different lineup's throughout the last two years, the current configuration has been together five months, and looks to be together for a very long time. The band has two different albums out, one a self-titled album, and the most recent one *500 lbs.* Gordie has been playing guitar for many years, and cites such influences as The Beatles, Cream, Jimi Hendrix, and almost any jazz or blues he can get his hands on. Molding all these together, and adding a twist of his own, Gordie has managed to find a distinct sound all his own, and puts it to good use with the other members of his band.

These two bands, along with the rest of the crowd, braved the weather, and deserve much applause for their great performances. If having them play so great in a snow storm isn't enough reason to buy their albums, the fact that they are both amazing bands is the reason you should check out both **Big Sugar** and the **Rayburns**.

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4	18	2	Various Artists	Grove Garden	Guacarnole
5	19	2	Various Artists	Woodstock 94	A&M
6	3	4	Fastbacks	Answer The Phone, Durnmy	Subpop/Demon
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9	12	4	4Head	Jerk	EMI
10	-	nu	Nirvana	unplugged In New York	MCA
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13	21	4	Mr. Right and Mr. Wrong	One Down and Two To Go	Wrong
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15	-	nu	Gypsey Soul	Presorbed Vibe	Indie CD
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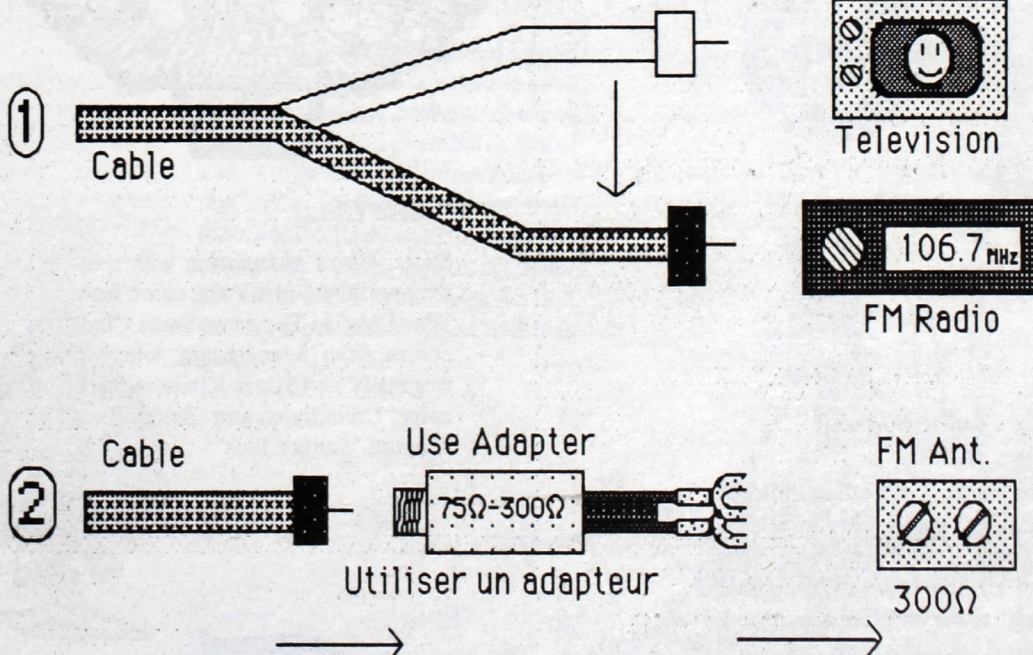
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MEXICO - *Feliz Navidad*

Mexican children delight in the game where the Pinata, an earthenware jug filled with candy and decorated like a donkey and other animals, is suspended from the ceiling on a rope. Each child is blindfolded and attempts to break the Pinata with a bat. The child who succeeds is the hero of the festival and the candy is shared by all.



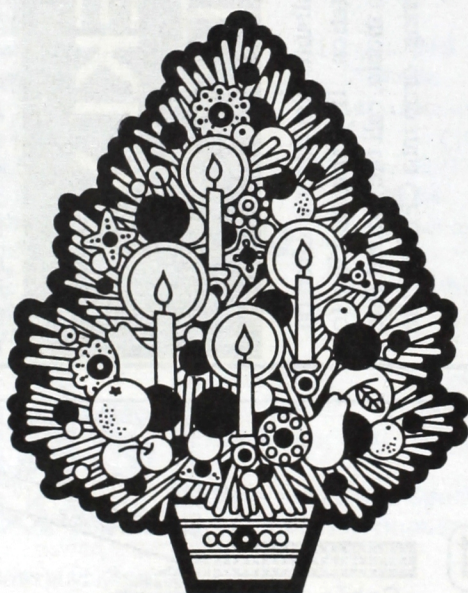
HOLLAND - *Gelukkig Kerstfeest*

On St. Nicholas Eve, December 5, Dutch children fill their wooden shoes with straw for St. Nick's white horse. In return, the children hope to have their shoes filled with candies and toys.



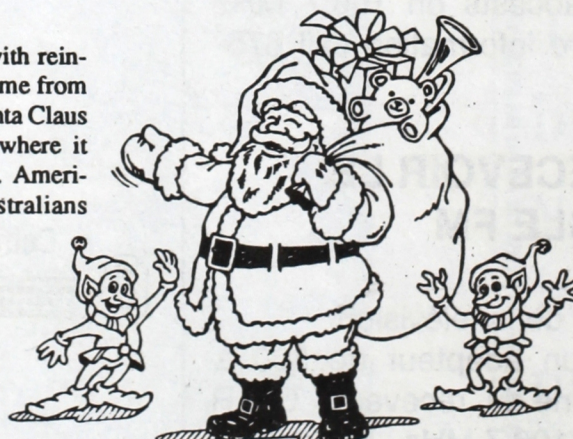
SOUTH AFRICA - *Happy Christmas*

Christmas is celebrated during the summer season so cook-outs are popular and beaches and camp-sites are packed. The traditional Christmas Day church service is observed. Homes are decorated inside only, usually with a Christmas tree in the lounge. The only time snow is seen by the people is when they look at the Christmas cards that are exchanged with friends.



Santa Claus

Santa Claus' association with reindeer and the North Pole, came from Scandinavia. The name Santa Claus comes from Scandinavia, where it originally was Sinter-Klaus. Americans, Canadians and Australians adopted "Santa Claus".



ITALY - *Buon Natale*

On Christmas Eve, Italian children set out their shoes for the female Santa Claus, La Befana, to fill with gifts of all kinds like toys, candies and fruit. If the children were good, their shoes would be filled on Christmas morning. If they were bad, they would find their shoes filled with coal. La Befana is the best-known legend in Italy.

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AUSTRIA - Frohliche Weihnachten

Advent wreaths are made of various types of Christmas greenery used with a combination of other decorations. The wreath is then suspended by ribbon on a decorative, colorful stand. Four candles, representing the four Sundays before Christmas, are attached to the wreath. The first candle only is lit on the first Sunday, the second candle is lit on the second Sunday, and so on; all four candles are lit on Christmas day.



FRANCE - Joyeux Noël

Puppet shows continue to appeal to both young and old. They're given every year at Christmastime all over France, especially in Paris. One of the well-known Christmas puppet plays, Bethlehem 1933, was written by de Marynbourg and is considered a masterpiece of popular art.



SPAIN - Feliz Navidad

The three Wisemen are seen everywhere in Spain at Christmas, visiting hospitals, orphanages, etc. The men who dress up in various "Wisemen" garments are from all walks of life. The legend tells of the three Wisemen travelling through the country on their way to Bethlehem. To properly receive them, the children fill their shoes with straw on Epiphany Eve. For their efforts, they find their shoes filled with presents the following morning. Spanish children have a great fondness for the three Wisemen, especially Balthazar.

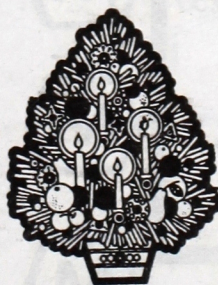


SWEDEN - God Jul

Lucia, the "Queen of Lights," is honored each year on December 13th. This feast day opens the Christmas season with a parade and gala celebration. "Lucia," usually the eldest daughter in the family, sings songs and presents a tray loaded with coffee and goodies to each member of the family.

ENGLAND - Merry Christmas

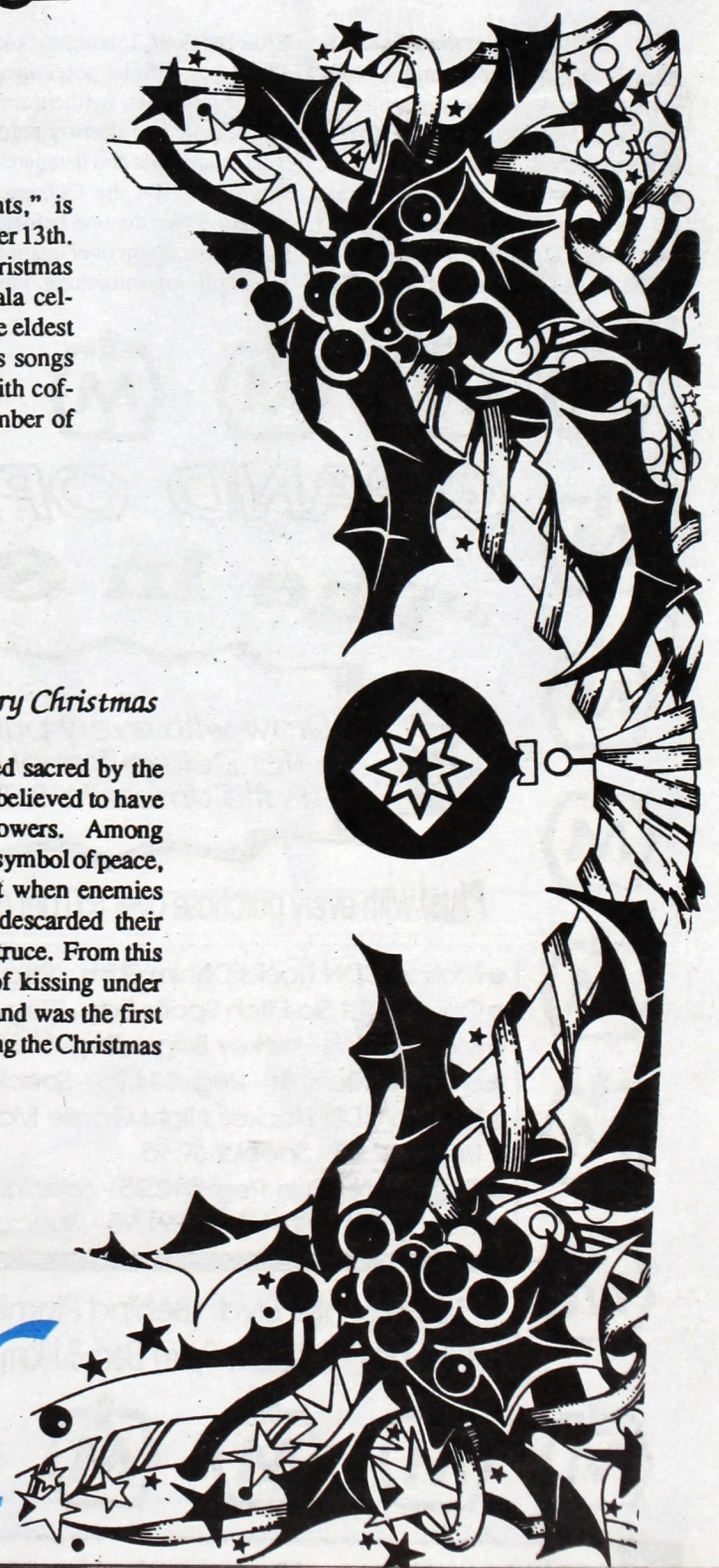
Mistletoe, considered sacred by the British Druids, was believed to have many miraculous powers. Among the Romans, it was a symbol of peace, and, it was said that when enemies met under it, they discarded their arms and declared a truce. From this comes our custom of kissing under the mistletoe. England was the first country to use it during the Christmas season.



December 25th

The Christmas festival was celebrated in Rome by A.D. 336. However in eastern Rome, a celebration on Jan. 6th commemorated the birth and baptism of Jesus (except in Jerusalem where only the birth was celebrated). During the 4th century, the festival day was on Dec. 25th and gradually became adopted throughout most of Western Europe.

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Clawfinger - *Deaf Dumb Blind*

by Kevin Forman
Staff Writer

Imagine putting **Rage Against the Machine** together with Henry Rollins. Scary thought huh? Well that's **Clawfinger** for you. These guys are loud, offensive, and have things to say. Molding a rap style with metal influence they produce some wicked tracks that are not to be believed. From the first song "The Truth", to the last notes of "Get It", Clawfinger rocks and raps it's way to a really great album.

However there is a small problem with this Swedish group. And that's originality. They are lacking a definitive difference in style on the whole album. Simply put... all the damn songs sound the same. It gets very boring listening to the same music with the occasional lyrics change.

But the saving grace of the band it that it's catchy music the whole way through the disc. If you think you can stomach the same thing over and over again, I suggest picking up Clawfinger if a rap/metal blend appeals to you.



The "What-The-Hell-Is-This-Doing-Here" Section

Toward a Definition of Generation X

by Sonja Rahmel
The Fulcrum (CUP)

Generation X. Familiar phrase, but do we know what it really refers to? Are all people who don't have jobs, those going to university in hopes of finding a job later or those who like to think of themselves as professional students part of this generation? Douglas Rushkoff's latest book, *The GenX Reader* attempts to answer some of these questions by presenting a compilation of articles, screenplays and cartoons by artists who are, according to Rushkoff, GenXers. Rushkoff begins with his own article explaining that only GenXers can describe themselves and they should not be defined as slackers by the Baby Boomer generation. We are the genera-

tion of 20-35 year olds, raised in the materialism produced by Boomers, who try to find McJobs since Boomers crashed the economy. Regarding the excitement of a social life, GenXers experience the leftovers of a great music revolution: rock and roll. Drugs were experienced and were forbidden before "we were old enough to care for a buzz now and again." Sexual freedom got cut short and so did our experience of it, due to STDs. However, he writes "We [GenXers] do not complain," but that is all Rushkoff seems to be doing.

The reader can be thankful that *The GenX Reader* is not as boring and as whiny as Mr. Rushkoff's only (thank God) article. In the *Reader* you can expect interviews with writers and directors of Generation X media, such as Douglas Coupland and Richard Linklater. There are a number of cartoons depicting the lives of GenXers and their humour. We really seem to be getting off on the

completely bizarre and stupid, ie. *Wayne's World*, Beavis and Butthead, and everyone's favourite, Kramer, from the hit show "Seinfeld". Music is discussed, especially in terms of retro-seventies style with grunge rock and the emergence of MTV (Much Music for us Canadians) as a staple of our lives. Racial issues are also discussed by our generation which can only imagine the beginning of the civil rights movement, perhaps not realizing the weight of it and the profound change that it brought about. *The GenX Reader* is an excellent reference item for those interested in the topic, as it delivers some of the main voices and ideas associated with Generation X, such as the philosophical statement of "whatever" by Mark Saltveit. Do not expect to come away from this book with a clear definition of Generation X but do expect to be put on the right pathway to find your own definition.

Lisa Germano - *Geek the Girl*

by Amelia Chester
Contributor

I put Lisa Germano's CD in my stereo, pressed play and sat back to listen. I expected only great things from a CD entitled *Geek the Girl*. I listened to the first track, "My Secret Reason," and I thought it was okay. I'd heard worse. I especially liked Lisa's soft, child-like voice, similar to the likes of Juliana Hatfield or

Edie Brickell. I thought, "ok". This album has definite potential.

However, by the third track I was tempted to destroy something. But I stuck it out and listened to every single song on the CD, each song sounding like the one before. I even played the album over again to see if I was missing something. I regretted

it. I could probably tolerate listening to the album again if I was concentrating on something else or trying to go to sleep. The entire album is very slow and lulling. But no — I would not recommend listening to *Geek the Girl* for 'fun' or enjoyment. This album proved to me, once again, that you can't judge a book by its cover.

Groove Garden

by Steve Martinovich
Assistant Editor

Groove Garden - Victoria Independent Compilation, is what its title suggests, a compilation of various independent artists from Victoria. The CD contains 24 songs from 13 artists who hail from the West Coast.

Like most compilations, the quality is a bit uneven, but the bands on this CD do reflect the quality of the disparate types of music that make up Victoria's scene and independent music in general. There are some great efforts on this, like **The Vinaigrettes** with "P.S. I Love You" and "Blind Spot", **Pigment Vehicle** with "Smoking a Small Piece of Your Brain in a Pipe Made from Your Love's Ball and Socket", and rap's **Disturbed Company's** "Cemetery". Other fine songs were "All his Scotch" from **B.K. Lounge**, "Crank" from **Gadget**, and "Die Motherfuckers" from **Mexican Power Authority**.

This is a great introduction to independent music from the West Coast and if your one of the few not looking forward to the new **Pearl Jam**, then pick this up, or listen to CFLR which has been playing it frequently. Forget "alternative music" and listen to "independent music".









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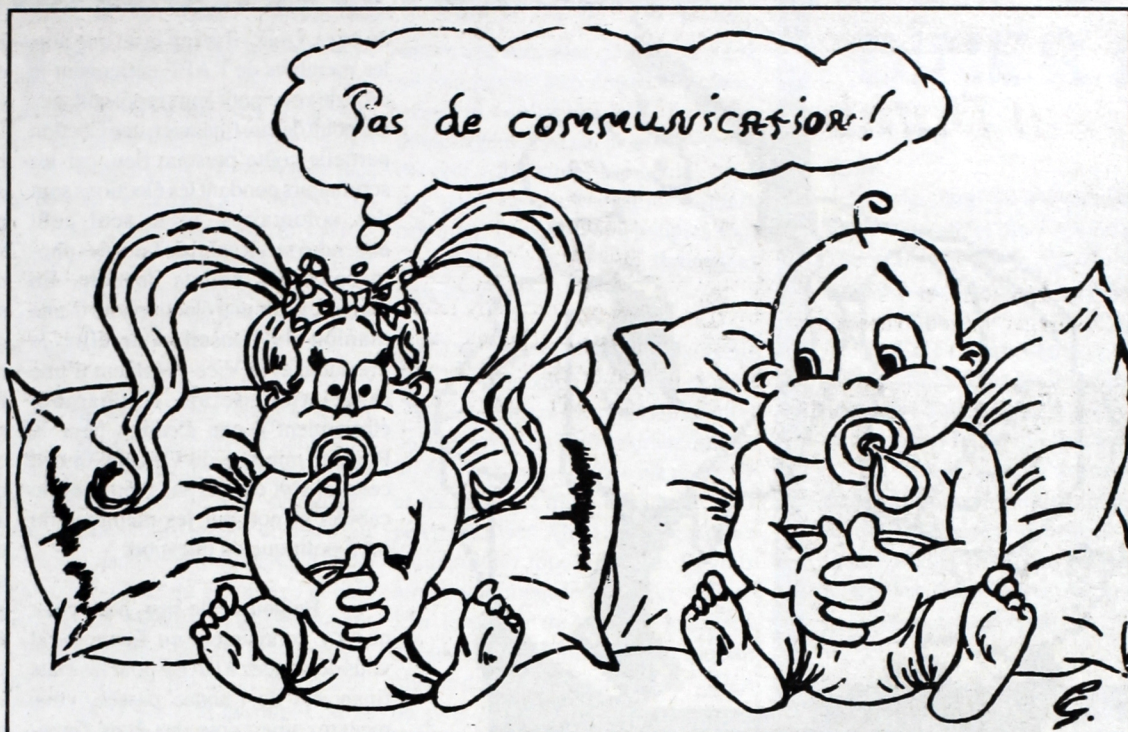
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LE MONDE VIRE FOUS

Ida et Zéphirin
Les vieux rencontre
les temps de Noël

I: Zéphirin, Zéééppphiiiiirrrnn!!!!
Z: Qu'est-ce que tu veux achalante!
I: Des fous, des fous partout! Je voulais aller magasiner et un fou a failli m'écraser avec sa maudite porche.
Z: Il est pas le seul fou, pis qu'est-ce que tu y as fait?
I: Si je l'avais attrapée je lui aurais cassé le cou avec mon parapluie! Mais il y avait de la glace....Enfin cela m'a ralenti un peu
Z: T'as un bon balland toi...
I: Non justement pas!
Z: Dah! Un, j'essayais d'être sarcastique; deux, t'es folle; trois,
I: Tu me traites de folle pendant que moi j'ai les quatres fers en l'air!!! Tu sais, c'est pas drôle à mon âge! Et d'ailleurs t'es supposé être mon ami!!!
Z: T'es mon amie parcontre chaque fois que tu marches sur la glace tu tombe sur ton cul. Et ça fait depuis



que je te connais que tu tombes sur ton cul quand il y a de la glace!
I: Comment oses-tu utiliser un mot si vulgaire devant les enfants.
Z: OK d'abord ton gros, et je veux dire gros derrière.
I: Monsieur Zéphirin Joseph Orto

Dupont le Gros tu es le plus malhonnête que je n'ai jamais rencontré et je préfère avoir un gros cul que d'être un trait dans le paysage.
Z: Oui, mais le paysage est tellement beau que je dois prendre cela comme un compliment, merci!

I: Je n'ai jamais dit un trait comme le paysage mais comme un trait dans le paysage! En autre mot t'es un clou! Mais pour en revenir aux fous, sais-tu qu'est-ce qui ce passe aux magasins?
Z: Bien sûr, dans un mois c'est Noël, donc le monde coure comme des

dindes sans tête
I: Ben moi je ne suis pas une dinde et j'ai une tête!
Z: J'ai-tu dis que t'étais une dinde sans tête?
I: Désolée je ne prêtais pas attention pour une seconde.
Z: Peut-être je devrais être Père Noël au centre d'achat là au moins on m'écouterait.
I: T'es fou, ils sont tous dingues là-bas. Ils, ou plutôt elles, se tapent toutes dessus pour les meilleurs prix.
Z: Parfois un centre d'achat plein de femme qui sont aussi radin que moi.
I: Si elles sont aussi radin cela veut dire que tu n'auras pas grand chose. Ha Ha oups je veux dire Ho Ho Ho
Z: Oui, mais toi tu ne m'as jamais rien donné, donc il faut bien que j'ai quelque part d'autre (sniff, sniff)!
I: Zéphirin, je t'ai déjà dit que tu osais emprunter mes perruques. Hé, où c'est que tu vas?
Z: Mon devoir de fou m'appelle
I: Ces hommes... Zéphirin attend je veux venir avec toi.. Je ne veux pas restée toute seule à la maison à ne rien faire!!! Zéphirin, m'as-tu entendu, espèce de sourd?
Z: Ben dépêche-toé!

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Deux expositions seront présentées au Musée et centre artistique de l'Université Laurentienne jusqu'au 18 déc. "René Magritte: l'anniversaire" est une exposition d'art surréaliste. "The David Blackwood Survey Exposition 1980 to 1990" est une rétrospective des gravures de cet artiste canadien de renommée. Info: poste 1400.

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L'AEF DANS L'ESPRIT DE NOËL

Par Carine Schlup
Journaliste

Pour tous ceux qui se tiennent dans le Centre Étudiant et plus spécifiquement autour de l'Entre-deux, vous avez sûrement remarqué que les banlieux se sont faits décorer. Je dois dire que cela est vraiment bien fait. Ma seule question serait: où sont les cadeaux et quand est-ce que je pourrais venir les ramasser.

Pour ceux qui ne se tiennent généralement pas dans ces lieux, il vaudrait le coup de venir visiter l'Entre-deux. Non pas juste pour l'arbre, mais pour d'autres petites choses! Oui vous pouvez rencontrer du monde et les discussions ne sont pas rare.

Cette année encore l'AEF organise un bal de Noël. Donc si vous voulez vous amuser, participez! Le tout se déroulera le 3 déc. à l'Alphonse Raymond. Comme de raison c'est ce samedi, ne le manquez pas! Les billets sont disponibles à l'AEF



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Réveillez-vous les membres de l'AEF

N'avez-vous pas remarqué qu'il se passe quelque chose d'étrange dans les bureaux de l'AEF. Non seulement qu'il y a eu des changements dans les postes "importants" de l'AEF, mais aussi qu'il y a eu des problèmes qui se sont encourus l'année dernière et qui n'ont pas été corrigés jusqu'à date. Si vous ne savez pas de quoi je radote, continuez à lire plus loin et ensuite dirigez-vous à l'AEF pour recevoir des explications.

En premier, tout le monde a remarqué qu'il y a eu deux nouveaux individus sur le conseil de l'AEF, soit un président et un vice-président. Mais, ces individus ont été élus pendant une réunion régulière du conseil de l'AEF. Dans la constitution, elle note qu'une élection partielle peut avoir lieu pour tous les postes vacants (sauf pour le poste de Président). Ceci indique que tous postes peuvent être remplis par une élection partielle ou pendant une réunion du conseil, car si le poste de Président est vacant, le Vice-Président doit tenir le poste de Président. Cependant, dans ce cas, les deux postes, Président et Vice-Président étaient vacants, donc une élection partielle aurait dû avoir lieu,



du pays. Donc, il serait juste que tous les membres de l'AEF détiennent le droit de voter pour leurs représentants. Du point de vue financier, une élection partielle coûte presque rien, car les scrutateurs pendant les élections sont des volontaires, et le seul coût engendré serait celui de faire des photocopies des ballots de vote. En dernier, avoir une élection lors d'une réunion du conseil pour élire le Président et le Vice-Président d'une association serait comparable étroitement à une élection pour le Premier ministre du Canada, et que celui-ci soit élu par les membres du cabinet et non par les membres du parti politique en question.

En deuxième lieu, pour ceux qui s'y connaissent en finances, si vous demandez à l'AEF pour les états financiers de l'année passée, vous recevrez une copie des états financiers datée du 21 mars, 1994 mais que l'année fiscale de l'association est le 30 avril, 1994. Si l'AEF voulait faire un changement dans la détermination de leur année fiscale, elle doit faire demande auprès d'un département gouvernemental. De plus, avec des états financiers dans un état pareille, il me semblerait que le conseil exigerait que le Secrétaire-trésorier met à jour les livres de l'AEF avant de partir, car des états financiers ou des livres non-terminés pourraient

indiqué qu'il pourrait y avoir des erreurs intentionnelles ou non-intentionnelles inscrites dans les livres. Ces erreurs pourraient bénéficier n'importe qui sur le conseil. Avec des livres dans un état pareil, j'exigerais que l'AEF fasse vérifier ses livres par un cabinet d'expert comptable pour que ses livres soient mis à jour et qu'il n'existe pas des erreurs dans la tenue ou dans les montants inscrits. Si l'AEF refuse de faire vérifier ses livres par des comptables, ceci pourrait indiquer qu'ils veulent cacher certaines informations. Donc, les dépenses pour avoir des états financiers vérifiés et mise à jour seront plus profitables que de se retrouver devant des tribunaux pour des états financiers erronés.

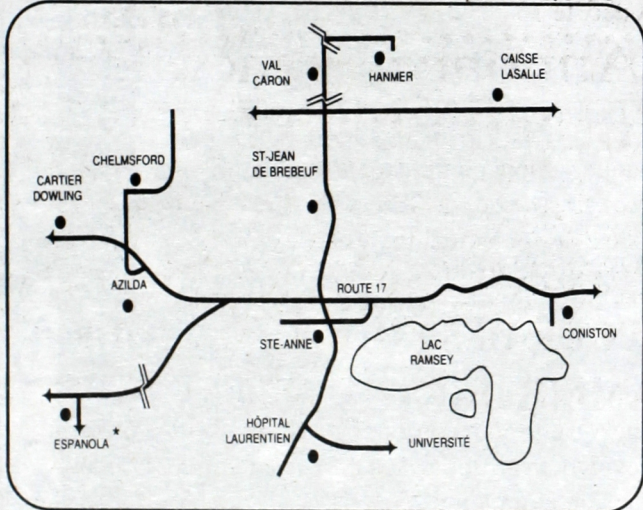
En terminant, je suis surpris que ses erreurs n'ont pas été découvertes par des individus impliqués directement dans les affaires francophones de l'université et doit être annoncé publiquement par un individu impliqué dans autres affaires étudiantes et étant un ancien membre de l'AEF. J'espère que la communauté francophone de l'université va mettre de la pression sur leur association pour se mettre sur un pied ferme avant qu'elle se creuse dix mètres sous terre.

Marcel Rouleau



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car ces deux individus représentent l'AEF envers l'administration de l'université et envers des groupes et associations à travers la province et

PROGRAMME D'ÉCHANGE ONTARIO/ RHÔNE-ALPES 1994-1995

Chaque année trente étudiants d'universités ontariennes sont sélectionnés pour effectuer leur année universitaire 1994-1995 dans des universités de la région de France, Rhône-alpes. Les cours suivis en France seront crédités par les universités ontariennes. Une bourse de 1,500\$ est offerte aux étudiants choisis pour le programme d'échange pour les frais de voyage, l'assurance santé et les activités étudiantes. Une semaine d'orientation aura lieu avant le départ ou à l'arrivée en France. Les dépenses de logement et de nourriture doivent être assumées par les étudiants.

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Contacter: Le professeur Eugène O'sullivan au Département de Droit et justice, bureau A-124 ou la secrétaire du Département de Droit et justice, bureau A-126.

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 Nom: Vous êtes trop jeune pour ça
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 Statue: Toujours disponible
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 Religion: ouais la croix n'est pas une mauvaise idée
 Intérêt: toujours très développé et aux aguets
 Animaux préférés: Oui je suis un animal, un lapin chaud
 Morale: toujours finir ce qu'on commence
 Humour: sourire à une mauvaise proie
 Attitude: Respect pour les morts
 Mot finale: quand est-ce qu'on commence?

du PERVERS XXX

DRESSONS LE SAPIN

par le pervers
Par où commencer

La magie de Noël est de retour! Rendez ces fêtes le plus beau que vous pouvez. Voici quelques uns de mes conseils.

Descendez les boîtes du grenier, délicatement ils ne sont pas les plus jeunes! Étendez une protection à terre où le festin va avoir lieu. Dressez le sapin, prenez votre temps, vous voulez qu'il se présente de son meilleur côté. Sortez les décorations. Ces dernières peuvent avoir une grande influence sur l'aspect de la présentation. Ne décorez pas votre arbre de la même façon que l'année dernière. Soyons un peu imaginatif! Toujours la même chose serait ennuyant et monotone. Aventurez-vous dans des nouvelles expériences. Ne mettez pas non plus

Des cannes de sucre? Très bonne idée! Moi personnellement je préfère le chocolat. Pourquoi? Les cannes c'est toujours dur, ça ne change pas, donc pas de taquinage! Le chocolat par contre peut être dur mais parfois aussi mou. De cette façon il ce laisse plus facilement beurrer où on le désire... Vous avez besoin d'un dessin?

Quoi? Vous voulez savoir quoi faire avec les cadeaux? Très facile: première affaire n'oubliez pas de les emballer. Deuxième affaire laissez un peu d'air entre le cadeau et l'emballage mais pas trop! C'est du gaspillage et cela enlève du plaisir. Troisièmement choisissez un emballage plaisant avec sa couleur, sa qualité et son odeur. Car peut importe la grandeur ou la largeur du cadeau, si l'emballage n'est pas plaisant où est le plaisir de le déballer. Est-ce que ceci répond votre question concernant les cadeaux? Qu'oi? vous avez des cadeaux qu'on ne peut pas emballer? Mon conseil:

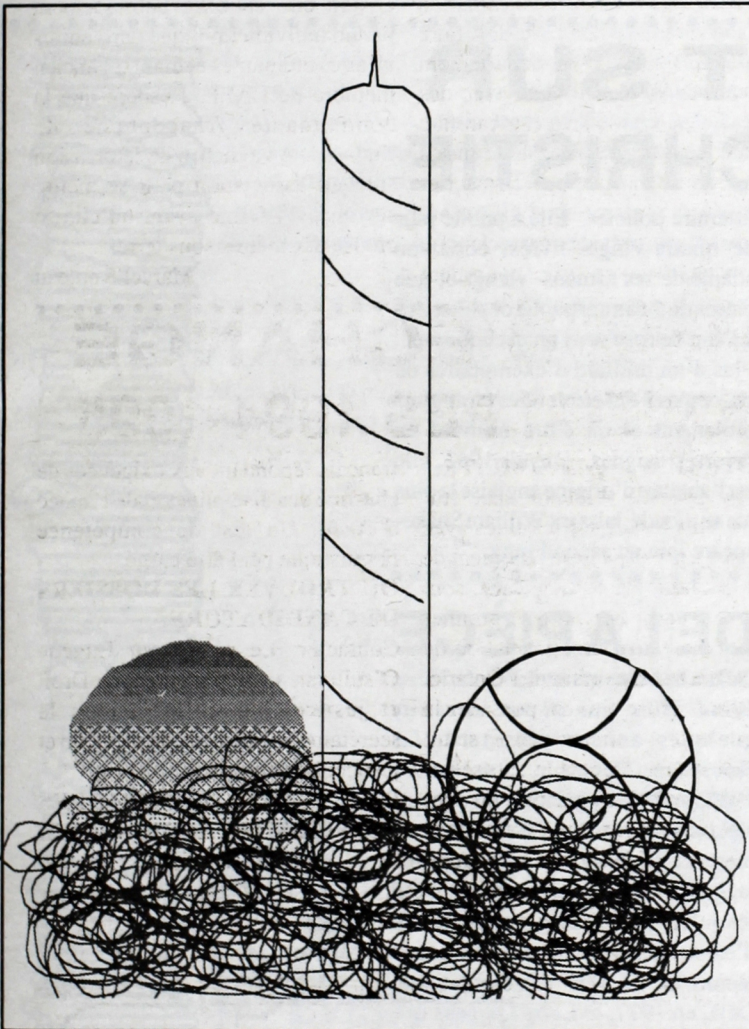
nettoyage sera plus grand. D'autre ne font pas de gros dégats donc peut importe combien de fois ils déménagent. Mais si vous voulez décorer votre table, une bougie avec une paire de boules paraît toujours très bien. Les meilleurs bougies sont les grandes, larges de base. Ils tiennent plus longtemps le coup.

C'est vrai qu'ils laissent découler beaucoup de cire mais n'est-ce pas le résultat de fêtes joyeuses? Vous aimez dresser les bougies, vous aimez les regarder et les caresser mais vous ne voulez pas les utiliser. Quel argent gaspillé. Vous ruinez tout le plaisir. Si vous aimez tellement les bougies donner leur le plaisir de vivre, n'avez pas crainte de les allumer. C'est tout un plaisir de les regarder fondre. Rien de plus érotique que cette cire qui coule de plus en plus loin, le long de cette longue bougie. Une cire chaude qui provient d'une flamme flamboyante.

Imaginez le bonheur, une bougie qui se consomme dans une chaleur domestique, à l'abri de la neige froide qui s'étale dehors. (La neige peut aussi avoir ses significations et ses moments érotiques mais c'est le temps de faire travailler votre imagination. Moi... Beaucoup de décorations à faire... Et beaucoup de cadeaux qui attendent.)

Un petit mot pour ceux qui ne sont pas encore certain de ce qu'ils devraient faire. Ne courez pas chez vos parents car ces derniers vont vous inviter de toute façon. Ceci est très aimable de leur part mais qui dit qu'ils vont être capable de comprendre, de trouver, de vous acheter, ou tout simplement vous donner ce dont vous avez vraiment besoin. Vos parents vous comprennent très bien?

Ceci est possible mais je vous assure que vous n'allez jamais avoir un Noël aussi passionnant que vous pourriez avoir avec quelques autres personnes. Oui même les personnes que vous ne connaissez pas! Dites-vous ceci, ils doivent sûrement savoir qu'est ce que c'est Noël. Donc n'avez pas crainte et suivez pour une fois les sages conseils que je vous donne.



trop de décorations parce que vous cachez la nature originale de votre arbre, mais aussi pensez au temps que vous devrez tout enlever. Dans ces moments de dénudement on ne veut pas perdre son temps avec trop de décorations.

Lorsque vous vous aventurez pour les boules n'avez crainte! Si vous avez la poigné forte, mieux vaudrait vous procurer des boules en bois ou plastique. Ceci empêcherait le fait de casser inutilement les bijoux de famille. Car on ne voudrait vraiment pas perdre ces dernières. Mais les plus belles sont en verre. Tenez les fermement, mais avec précaution car il faut quand même pas leur couper le souffle. Elles sont fragiles jusqu'à un certain point. Enfin il ne faut juste pas les laisser tomber. Les guirlandes sont très belles et amusante aussi mais pas tout le monde aime voir leur sapin attaché. Une affaire de goût, quoi!

faites travailler votre imagination!

Le déballage, ce fait généralement lentement pour déguster le moment. Mais si vous en avez plusieurs à déballer parfois il vaut mieux commencer rapidement sinon vous allez jamais arriver à la fin. Si vous en avez trop, vous pouvez me les envoyer. C'est d'ailleurs ma partie préférée, le déballage. Que ce soit les cadeaux ou(Pas de commentaire)

Si vous aimez autant les surprises que moi fêtez Noël pas juste une soirée mais plusieurs, peut-être aussi chez différents amis. Cela coûte moins cher et il y a plus de variété.

Les décorations autour de la maison dépendent des personnes. Certaines personnes préfèrent ne pas fêter dans tous les pièces de la chambre car le

Aurait-je une raison pourquoi je vous souhaiterais de passer un mauvais Noël? Non donc les voici, ces petits conseils: Première chose, Noël est qu'une seule fois dans l'année. Deuxièmement ce n'est pas un crime de demander l'aide des autres. Troisièmement, d'après moi c'est très ennuyant tout seul. Plus de fous, plus qu'on s'amuse....

P.S. Si vous pensez, plutard que vous avez passé un meilleur Noël que moi.... Vous savez ce que je vais vous demander?... Oui partagez-la nouvelle avec moi. On verra après s'il était vraiment meilleur que le mien. Non ce n'est pas un concours, mais admettez-le il va être difficile de battre mes jours fériés.

Joyeux Noël
à tous et toutes
votre pervers

DÎNER DE NOËL

Ross H. Paul

recteur

Au nom de l'Association du personnel administratif et professionnel et de l'Association des anciens de l'Université Laurentienne, j'ai le plaisir de vous inviter à assister au dîner de Noël et à la soirée dansante organisés à l'intention de la communauté universitaire.

Cet événement très spécial aura lieu le samedi 10 décembre 1994 à 18h30 dans le Grand Salon. Le somptueux repas à la dinde sera suivi d'un spectacle comique présenté par le groupe Karousel de Sturgeon Falls, qui fera également les frais de la musique.

Je me réjouis à l'avance de pouvoir me joindre aux membres de la communauté universitaire lors de cet événement qui marquera le début des réjouissances de Noël. Pour de plus amples renseignements ou pour vous procurer des billets, veuillez appeler le Bureau des affaires des anciens au poste 4818 ou Jocelyne Lavallée au poste 3049.

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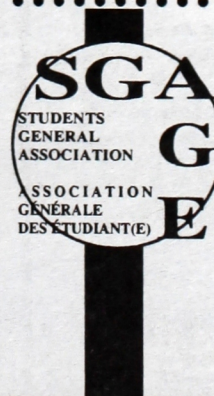
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LA SOURICIÈRE DE AGATHA CHRISTIE

par Joe Bourrie
Contributeur

Entre le 22 et le 24 Novembre *La Souricière* a joué à Sudbury Secondary School. C'est basé sur une oeuvre de mystère qui a été adaptée pour la scène comme plusieurs des travaux par Agatha Christie.

On affiche l'année 1951 et la place se situe à 24 Calver Street à Londres. Un meurtre a eu lieu pas loin du manoir Monkswell où Giles et Mollie Ralston se préparent pour recevoir leurs premiers invités. Mollie a hérité cette maison qu'ils ont transformé en pension de famille.

Une fois que leurs premiers pensionnaires arrivent, la tempête de



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neige s'empire et le mystère commence. Les pensionnaires avec

leurs personnalités bizarres se trouvent dans une situation où un

2ème meurtre se passe dans la maison et ils sont isolés sans téléphone et

sans moyen de transport.

L'histoire se concentre sur les personnalités bizarres pour camoufler le vrai meurtrier. Les rôles les plus frappants étaient ceux de Christopher (Christian Hallé) qui a joué un jeune homme dérangé avec les hormones en pleine vitesse, et Mme Boyle (Marie-Paul Ducharme) qui a joué une femme placoteuse qui est extrêmement particulière et pessimiste.

La seule critique que j'ai est que l'histoire a pris trop de temps à se dérouler ce qui me forçait de temps en temps à me concentrer. Mais il y avait des parties très drôles où tous les spectateurs riaient. En tout j'ai trouvé que la pièce a été bien faite et je la recommanderais aux autres.

LA SOURICIÈRE



UN MOT SUR AGATHA CHRISTIE

Texte du T.N.O

Agatha Mary Clarissa Miller Christie est née en Angleterre en 1890, où elle est morte en 1976. Son impressionnante bibliographie et le succès remporté par ses livres la placent sans équivoque au sommet du genre

littéraire policier. Elle a publié plus de quatre-vingts livres, écrit -ou adapté de ses romans- vingt-et-une pièces de théâtre et publié des histoires à l'eau de rose sous un pseudonyme. Plus d'un milliard d'exemplaires de ses oeuvres ont été vendus en anglais seulement et un autre milliard en diverses langues. Depuis 1962, elle est l'auteure d'origine anglaise la plus lue au monde, laissant William Shakespeare loin au second rang.

HISTORIQUE DE LA PIÈCE

Texte du T.N.O

À l'approche de son quatre-vingtième anniversaire, les gens de la British Broadcasting Corporation (BBC) avaient demandé à la Reine Mary ce qu'elle voulait pour célébrer cet événement. Elle avait répondu: "Une pièce d'Agatha Christie". Agatha Christie s'était donc rapidement mise à la tâche et avait écrit un radio-

théâtre de trente minutes intitulé *Three Blind Mice* qui devait devenir, quelques années plus tard, *La Souricière*. Depuis le 25 novembre 1952, date de la création du spectacle, *La Souricière* a été jouée dans 44 pays et traduite en vingt-quatre langues. À Londres, le succès a été tel qu'en 1988, après trente-six ans d'existence, on atteignait le nombre record de 15 000 représentations. Déjà, en 1977, le Livre Guinness des records accordait à la *Souricière* le titre mondial pour le spectacle ayant tenu l'affiche le plus longtemps.



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Get Back!!

by Dan Scott
Sports Editor

Okay, we're all overjoyed about the recent decision by the Senate, in collaboration with the Laurentian University Faculty Association, to take those two Rae Days on Tuesday January 3 and Wednesday January 4th. A little extra time to work off the New Year's fuzzies so that we can be primed for our return to class.

However, I've overheard various students saying that they're planning on being "ill" for their Thursday and Friday classes that week, thereby extending their Christmas vacation to truly normal university lengths. Several professors have also hinted that, while classes will continue to be held as normal, if there is a pervasive and sudden epidemic, attendance or non-attendance will not be a big concern.

Now, I'm not one to preach to my fellow students about the prudence of regularly attending class, particularly given the fact that I am one of the more vehement opposers of the 20% absenteeism=failure rules. If you wish to while away your tuition watching re-runs of Gilligan's island (hell, what else are there? God forbid that any new episodes should be made—Alan Hale's corpse just couldn't handle the shooting schedule), then by all means, educate yourself in whatever way you care. But I implore the Laurentian student body to return for Saturday afternoon, in full force, for the Voyageurs' and Lady Vees' basketball regular season home-opener against the U of T Varsity Blues.

These matches are probably two of the most important games of the season for our men's and women's basketball teams. In the men's case, Toronto always fields a competitive team, and given our Voyageurs' non-ranked beginning to the season, a convincing win will be a fine start to solidifying the Vees and building their self-confidence on the early steps of yet another march towards a division title.

The women's game will be even more important for our team. Laurentian, despite a somewhat erratic showing in its exhibition matches, was recently ranked 4th in the CIAU national standings, while Toronto, last year's OWIAA Champions and the CIAU's silver medallists, is ranked 6th, below not just Laurentian but another Ontario team which they defeated last year, the Western Mustangs. Blues coach Michele Belanger and her troops will be out for blood, to try and shame the CIAU rankings, while the Lady Vees anticipate trouncing their long-time division rivals in a vindication of the CIAU's faith in *wundercoach* Peter Ennis and his hardworking, highly-talented team.

So top your vacation off with a celebration of basketball rivalry and a traditional Laurentian welcome to our honoured guests as the Lady Vees and Voyageurs open their season against the U of T Blues on Saturday, January 7th. Game times are 2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Bring noisemakers (pots, pans, and garbage cans) and lozenges for your throat, and most importantly, bring your Laurentian pride.



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Back On Track!

by Stephannie Maville
Sports Writer

Last weekend the Laurentian Voyageurs Men's Basketball team ventured west to participate in a tournament in Ironwood, Michigan, and returned with two decisive victories against American teams! On Friday, November 25, the Vees defeated host team Gogebic College 90 to 73 in their first game of the tournament. Our boys had their transition game working, although at times it was decidedly inconsistent. However, LU came out hot from the 3 point line, making 6 of 8 shots in the first half of the game.

Head Coach Peter Campbell stated that "we played really well. We were up by 5 in the first half of the game, but we pulled away in the end." Indeed they did! Brad Hann, Laurentian's game MVP, was the top scorer with 22 points, while Jason Hurley,

with another strong performance, added 18 points. Shawn Swords and Cory Bailey also netted 16 points on the Voyageurs' behalf.

On Saturday night, Laurentian destroyed Mt. Senario, a Wisconsin team, by a final score of 101 to 65. The Voyageurs dominated the court throughout the game—the half time score was 49 to 33 in Laurentian's favour. Shawn Swords took game MVP honours for his phenomenal contribution of 34 points, while rookie Blair Morris also had a strong

game, contributing 18 points to the Voyageur cause. Also heartening was the excellent defensive game which the Vees played. Coach Campbell was quite impressed with the consistent play of his team throughout the weekend, and thought that the outcome of the Gogebic tournament "should put us in good shape for after Christmas, and generate good basketball" as the regular season approaches.

The Voyageurs will be quite active over the holidays, voyaging to Halifax for the Hall of Fame Classic from December 29th to December 31st, and, after a day's rest, on to Acadia's Stu Aberdeen tourney on January 2nd and 3rd. Finally, our Vees return home on Saturday, January 7th, for the regular season home-opener against the University of Toronto at 2:00 pm. Cheer them on!



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What's Up, Vees?

A look at what Laurentian's varsity athletes will be up to in between now and the next issue of Lambda (January 12)

Hockey

Dec 3 UQTR @ L.U.
Dec 4 Ottawa @ L.U.
Dec 28 Concordia Tourney
Dec 30 Concordia Tourney
Jan 2 LU @ North Michigan
Jan 3 LU @ Lake Superior State
Jan 7 LU @ Ryerson

Volleyball

Dec 2 LU @ Queen's
Dec 3 LU @ Queen's
Dec 7 Christmas Classic—
Cambrian at LU
Jan 6 Ryerson Invitational
Jan 7 Ryerson Invitational

Men's Basketball

Dec 29 Hall of Fame Classic, Halifax
Dec 31 Hall of Fame Classic, Halifax
Jan 2 Stu Aberdeen, Acadia
Jan 3 Stu Aberdeen, Acadia
Jan 7 Toronto @ L.U.

Nordic Ski

Dec 29 N. C.D., Ottawa
Dec 31 N. C. D., Ottawa
Jan 7 Toronto Classic, Duntroon

Track & Field

Dec 3 Western Season Opener
Jan 7 First Chance Qualifier, Toronto

Women's Basketball

Dec 29 St. Mary's, Halifax
Dec 31 St. Mary's, Halifax
Jan 7 Toronto @ L.U.

Attention All Students

Winter session classes will resume
Thursday, January 5, 1995.

The **deadline** for adding a second-term course, substituting one second-term course for another, or deleting a second-term course from your academic record **has been changed** from January 13 to **January 17, 1995.**

The **deadline** for honourable withdrawal from full-year courses **has been changed** from February 3 to **February 7, 1995.**

The **deadline** for honourable withdrawal from second-term courses **has been changed** from March 1 to **March 3, 1995.**

Vee Line

Athlete of the Week

Al's (of Sports Info notoriety) pick for Athlete of the Week is Grant Patterson, a 4th year Volleyball Middle. The 6'7" Geography major from Penetang, Ontario, was in stellar form at the Guelph Invitational over the weekend as he served up one ace, 34 kills, and 11 blocks in 3 games.

Hockey Vees Lose to Queens'

The Laurentian Hockey Vees suffered a disappointing 8-3 loss to Queen's Friday in their first game of their weekend roadtrip. Laurentian did manage to outshoot Queen's 44-29. Scoring for the Hockey Vees were Dan Despatie, Brian Stagg, and Dave Graff. The Hockey team travels to RMC tomorrow to finish up their roadtrip.

Hockey Vees Triumph Over RMC

The Hockey Vees were victorious on Saturday as they beat Royal Military College 3-2 in a tight game. Goal scorers for the Vees were Dan Despatie, Derek Potvin, and Corey Fletcher with the winning goal. MVP for the game was goaltender Sean Spencer.

Volleyball Vees In Guelph

The LU Volleyball team was in Guelph last weekend where it participated in the Guelph Invitational. The Vees played their first game against Waterloo and lost 3-1. The MVP for the match was Grant Patterson who obtained 9 kills and 5 blocks. Laurentian was victorious in their second match over McMaster with a final score of 3-0. The MVP of the Mac match was Phil Rehberg who had 41 assists, 5 kills, and 5 blocks.

Laurentian vs. Waterloo Laurentian vs. McMaster
(15-6, 11-15, 15-4, 15-6) (15-11, 15-4, 15-7)

Ups and Downs for Volleyball Vees

The Laurentian Voyageurs Men's Volleyball team lost their first game on Saturday at the Guelph Invitational to Western. The score was 3-1. The Vees came back full force in the afternoon against Guelph, and demolished the Gryphons 3-1. Grant Patterson was the MVP for both games with 15 kills and 2 stuffs against Western, and 16 kills, 4 stuffs, and 1 service ace against Guelph.

Laurentian vs. Western Laurentian vs. Guelph
(15-5, 15-3, 8-15, 15-8) (15-9, 8-15, 15-3, 15-7)

Women's Intramural Basketball

Another exhilarating season of Women's Intramural Basketball has come to a close. We hope the ladies of LU had a good time fulfilling the competitive regular schedule. All eight teams fought tooth and nail to grab the four play-off positions. The teams which will advance are the Huntington A's, the Snappers, Natural Born Killers, and Stokers A. We commend all teams for their fair play and exciting matches, and congratulate them on their plethora of talent. The FINAL STANDINGS and TOP 15 SCORERS are as follows:

Teams	W	L	T	Pts
Huntington A	7	0	-	14
Snappers	5	2	-	10
N.B.K.	4	3	-	8
Stokers	4	3	-	8
Thornloe	3	4	-	6
Girls	2	5	-	4
Stars	2	5	-	4
Huntington B -	7	-	-	

Top 10 Scorers	
1 Chantel Bertrand	66 pts
2 Amanda Lethbrige	64 pts
3 Carrie Rumble	55 pts
4 Dawn Stephens	50 pts
5 Pascal Mapleston	48 pts
6 Dorothy Wood	47 pts
7 Kerry Holland	40 pts
8 Shelly Searle	38 pts
9 Ambre Richmond	38 pts
10 Paula Barkel	33 pts

Lady Vees Drop Another to Alma

by Dan Scott
Sports Editor

On Saturday, November 19th, the Laurentian Lady Vees Basketball team faced the Alma College Scots in Auburn Hills, Michigan. Prior to the game, Coach Ennis told his team the facts, as he saw them, based on the previous night's game against Oakland University. "One player," he said, "can't carry the team any more. To win, our intensity and hustle has to be there from the start—there's no excuse for lacking that, having proved that we can play two solid halves against the best team in Canada." They would definitely need intensity against the Alma College Scots, who, according to Alma's assistant coach Mark Guyette, would probably be ranked in the top five teams of their 350 school division.

Continuing his pregame address, Ennis told the Vees that in this, their twelfth game as a Voyageur, they weren't really rookies anymore, that they know what they should be doing. Coach Ennis was even harsher with the veterans: he stated that they "can't play as though [they] haven't had any experience." Sarah Kieffer wasn't going to play at all against the Alma Scots, unfortunately, as she had suffered a twisted ankle late in the second half against Oakland. Tanya "Tease" Tatti was given the nod as a replacement starter, and her recurrent nosebleeds of the previous night's game were hoped to be a thing of the past.

Your Voyageur team responded to their coach's exhortations with a strong first half against the NCAA Division 3 Scots. Defensively, they held Alma's high-scoring centre Melissa VanDamme to 5 points, while LU's Dianne Norman posted 13 and Joy McNichol followed up with 10. The Vees showed determination in chipping away at, and finally overcoming, the Lady Scots' early 5 point margin to finish the first half leading

Alma College by a score of 33-29.

This was definitely the type of half that Coach Ennis wanted to continue all game. Despite the freak occurrence of Alma's 5'3" guard Amy Doucette blocking LU's 6'3" Joy McNichol, Laurentian continued to build until, with 10:20 remaining, their lead had increased to an eight point margin. Two minutes passed and Alma shrank the gap to a single point. Ennis hastily called a time-out to stem the Lady Scots momentum, and from that point onward the lead was up for grabs. On the strength of the Scots' Ashley Reagh's 3-pointer, Alma took a 4 point lead and it was time-out time again for the Vees. With their final minute's strategy set, the Vees took the court trying desper-

ately to close the gap.

With 33 seconds remaining, LU's Shelly Dewar sent Ashley Reagh to the line in a 1+1 free throw attempt. Reagh failed and the ball was in Lady Vee hands. Alma's Doucette foolishly fouled Joy McNichol with 14 seconds left in the game. Joy sank the first of the 1+1, shrinking the Scots' lead to 3 points and giving Laurentian the potential to tie the game. Incredibly, the rebound from Joy's second free throw dropped into the waiting hands of Katie Malone, who immediately dished it to a wide-open Shelly Dewar waiting at the three-point line. Shelly, left unguarded for the first time in the game since her two early threes sent the Scots scurrying, fired the ball up in a bid for the tying basket. Everyone held their breath as the ball ascended in a beautiful arc towards the basket—and everyone's breath expired as it clanked off the outside part of the rim into Scot hands. Reagh missed her put-away shot and Laurentian recovered with four seconds on the clock, but Alma's determined defense refused to allow any second chances. The Lady Vees lost a thrilling game to the Alma Scots by a final score of 52-49.

Guyette claims to "have a lot of respect for Canadian basketball," and his team certainly played full-out against the Vees. The Scots' scoring was spread out evenly amongst three of his starters, while Laurentian looked to Dianne Norman and Joy McNichol for 18 points apiece. Di and Joy also lead the rebounders with 12 and 8 respectively, while Melanie Rathbone contributed 5 boards to the cause. "Sly" Sliwinski was the only Lady Vee to record a blocked shot in the game. The Lady Vees' will now enjoy a six-week period of practice before their next exhibition games at St. Mary's University, in Halifax, starting on December 29th. The regular season begins with a classic on January 7th when Laurentian hosts their long-time rivals, and last year's OWIAA champions, the University of Toronto Varsity Blues. Be there!



Photos by Dan Scott

OUAA Update

OWIAA Athlete of the Week

Nancy Sweetnam, a 3rd year Sport Administration student from Lindsay, Ontario, is the OWIAA Athlete of the Week for her outstanding performance at the University of Toronto Invitational Swim Meet on Friday November 18th. As a member of the Laurentian Swim Team, Nancy placed 1st in the 100m Butterfly, 400m Freestyle, and the 200m Butterfly. Her outstanding times in all three events have qualified her for the CIAU Championships set for March 3-5 in Laval.

OUAA Athlete of the Week

Bill Seagris, a forward with the University of Windsor Hockey team, is the OUAA Athlete of the Week. The 3rd year Commerce student from Red Rock, Ontario scored 3 goals in a 4-2 win over Laurier and added 1 more in a 6-3 loss to Waterloo as the Lancers split their weekend series. Seagris is also the current OUAA Golf Champion.

OUAA / OHL Player of the Month

Right wing Shawn Costello of the York Yeomen is the winner of the first segment of the OUAA/OHL Player of the Month Award. The award of \$500.00, to help educational costs, is presented to a player who previously played in the Ontario Hockey League and is now furthering his education at an OUAA institution. The Toronto native and Yeomen team captain scored 8 goals and had 5 assists in 8 games for the period between October 20th and November 13th. The 3rd year Sociology student played three seasons with the Toronto Marlies and later, the Hamilton Dukes. Currently, the Yeomen are tied for first place in the Mid West Division of the OUAA Hockey League.

Volleyball Leading Scorers

Player	Team	G	A	K	S	TP	%
David Kantor	Queen's	19	1	102	28	131	6.9
Marc Habash	Toronto	17	5	89	11	105	6.2
Glen Smith	York	8	1	35	7	43	5.4
Mike Speince	Queen's	23	3	97	16	116	5.0
Joe Kupina	York	11	4	40	10	54	4.9
Aaron Holm	Toronto	25	9	102	7	118	4.7
Mike Cvihon	Queen's	22	2	85	15	102	4.6
K. Van Wellegham	LU	19	9	69	10	88	4.6
A. Sulatycki	York	11	2	40	8	50	4.6
Paul Rainville	LU	22	3	86	9	98	4.5

(G)ames played (A)ssists (K)ills (S)ervice Aces (T)otal Points, (%) Points Per Game

CIAU Women's Basketball

1. Winnipeg
2. Victoria
3. Manitoba
4. Laurentian
5. Western
6. Toronto
7. Laval
8. Dalhousie
9. P.E.I.
10. McGill

CIAU Men's Basketball

1. McMaster
2. Winnipeg
3. Brandon
4. Alberta
5. Victoria
6. Concordia
7. Brock
8. Ryerson
9. Manitoba
10. Dalhousie

adidas Toronto Invitational—NCAA Hoops

adidas Canada has signed on as title sponsor of the 1994 Toronto Invitational. The adidas Toronto Invitational, showcasing top U.S. college hoops action between the pre-season top 25 ranked (USA Today/CNN Coaches' Poll) Georgetown Hoyas and Memphis Tigers, is the first ever regular season NCAA men's basketball game to be played in Toronto. The game will tip-off at 8:30 p.m., December 10 at Maple Leaf Gardens and will be televised live across North America on TSN and ESPN.

The match-up will feature the talents of two All-America candidates—Georgetown's leading scorer

Othella Harrington and Memphis junior David Vaughn, who is also rated as one of the top five power forwards in the country. Canadian basketball fans will also get a first-hand look at Georgetown freshman Allen Iverson, a 6'1", 175 lb. guard and of the most highly touted newcomers this season. Iverson scored 36 points in 23 minutes of action during a recent pre-season exhibition game. Sponsor ticket promotions provide fans a number of options to make the game more accessible to basketball fans. adidas, in combination with Toronto area Footlocker stores, has planned a promotion for November and December wherein customers receive a

ticket to the Invitational with a purchase of a pair of adidas equipment basketball shoes. Pepsi, through its retailers, offers a \$2 discount on tickets. The Toronto Sun, The Fan 1430, and adidas also offer the half-time "Hot Shot" contest which provides youths with the opportunity to win a \$500 scholarship.

If you've got a soft exam schedule and a hard love of NCAA hoops, you can get your tickets through the usual Ticketmaster outlets (phone (416)872-5000 or (416)870-8000) and in person at the Maple Leaf Gardens Box Office. Ducats range from \$12 to \$35 in price.



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Fish Chowder

Button up your sou'wester and get on those rubber boots - we're heading for the open seas with a hearty chowder as cargo.

Preparation time: 20 minutes
Cooking time: 10 to 15 minutes
Serves four

Boil in a small pot until tender:
2 medium potatoes, cubed

In large pot, melt:
3 tbsp (45 mL) margarine or butter

Add:
2 onions, chopped
1 cup (250 mL) fresh mushrooms (optional), chopped
1 cup (250 mL) green pepper, chopped
Cook until onions are clear and almost transparent.

Don't Start Without:
small pot
large pot
measuring cup
measuring spoons
large spoon
cutting board
knife

Helpful Hints:
• Use cheapest frozen fillets you can find.
• Fresh parsley may be difficult to find in winter or may be expensive. Keep dried parsley on hand since it perks up the flavor of most soups

Add:
1/2 cup (125 mL) all-purpose flour
Add gradually, stirring constantly until smooth:
4 cups (1 L) milk

Stir in:
1 pkg., 1 lb. (454 g) fish fillets, thawed and chopped into 2 to 3 inch (5 to 7 cm) pieces
1 tbsp. (15 mL) soy sauce
1/2 cup (125 mL) fresh parsley or 2 tbsp (30 mL) dried

Simmer 10 to 15 minutes.

Add:
boiled potatoes
1/2 cup (125 mL) cooking sherry (optional)

Heat thoroughly.

• Sherry is a great pleasure in many dishes, so try to keep some on hand.
• Whole potatoes take about 15 to 20 minutes to cook. Cubed ones should take about 10 minutes.
• Don't let this soup bubble since milk has a tendency to taste, shall we say, weird, when it boils.

Serving ideas:
• Bread, buns or crackers complement fish chowder.
• Don't be afraid to make this much chowder. It will keep well in the fridge.

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